



PASSED AWAY LAST FRIDAY

Mrs. Sarah Stockton McClure Succumbs to the Infirmities of Old Age.

A long, useful Christian life came to a close last Friday when the soul of Mrs. Sarah Stockton McClure took its flight to the Great Beyond. She had been a sufferer for many years but uncomplainingly submitted to the will of her Lord and Master. She had been a member of the Christian church since early girlhood and was always happiest when doing some service in her church. Deceased was 80 years of age and had been a resident of this county for many, many years and was loved and respected by all who knew her. She is survived by one son, Mr. J. E. McClure and one daughter, Mrs. Clay Carpenter, of this county. Funeral services were conducted at her late residence Sunday morning at 10 o'clock by Rev. Mr. Battensfield, of Lexington, with interment in Machpelah cemetery. We extend sympathy to the bereaved family.

ASHES BURIED HERE

The ashes of the body of Miss Ida M. Thomas, who died at Berkeley, Cal., April 23rd, were shipped to this city last week and were interred Friday evening in Machpelah cemetery. Miss Thomas formerly resided here and many of the older citizens will remember her. She is survived by two brothers, Charles Thomas, of Owenton, and Eugene Thomas, of this county, and one niece, Mrs. J. Clay Cooper.

For a good steak or roast call
Sanitary Meat Market.

EVERYTHING

—IN—

Garden and Flower Seed

The San-Tox Store

Bassett Drug Co.

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MARRIAGE LICENSES

Marriage licenses were issued as follows here last week:

Matthew Millard Steel to Miss Ethel Swart, both of Bath county; James Setters, aged 19, to Miss Lida Johnson, aged 17, both of this county; Tandy Crow, aged 22, of Clark county, to Miss Emily Barnette, aged 16, Levee, this county, Walter Chandler, aged 15, to Miss Nora Branham, both of Preston, Bath county; Jacob Hiler, aged 38, farmer, to Miss Lillie Chaney, both of Spencer, this county.

FILLY WINS DERBY

Regret, owned by Mr. H. P. Whitney, of New York, won the Kentucky Derby Saturday from as good a field of horses as ever faced the barrier in that historic race. This is the only time in the history of the race that a filly ever won it. Pebbles was second and Sharpshooter third. The Derby was worth more than \$10,000 to the winner. It was estimated that 40,000 people witnessed the running of the race.

MARRY AT LEXINGTON

Friends were agreeably surprised last week to learn of the marriage at Lexington of Mr. Millard R. Hainline and Mrs. Margaret Cravens.

Both formerly lived here where they have a large number of friends and relatives. Mr. Hainline is a prosperous business man and the woman of his choice is a splendid lady. We wish them much happiness and prosperity.

LIVE STOCK NEWS

James M. Hutsell received a few days ago a carload of yearling mules which he purchased in Illinois and they are said to be as good a bunch as has ever come into the county.

Charles C. McDonald bought from Paul Thompson a carload of 1,360-pound cattle for the New York market at 7½ cents per pound.

NARROW ESCAPE

While attempting to run his automobile over a snake on the edge of the pike Mr. John F. Frazer ran into the fence instead and narrowly missed having a serious accident. As it was the machine was damaged but Mr. Frazer escaped injury.

SELLS PARIS PROPERTY

Mr. George Rassenfoss, of this city, last week sold his residence property at Paris, to Dr. W. C. Usery. The home is located at the corner of Seventh and High streets. The price paid was \$5,000.

For Sale.

Ping Pong ducks.

D. R. Maupin, breeder,
N. Maysville St. Mt. Sterling, Ky.

DIES IN CALIFORNIA

Mrs. Louise M. Patterson, Former Montgomery County Woman Dies at Los Angeles.

Many old friends were grieved to learn last week that Mrs. Louise M. Patterson had died Thursday at her home in Los Angeles, Cal. Mrs. Patterson was a daughter of Mr. Wm. Ragun, who for many years was one of the most prominent men in this section of the State. In early life she married Dr. J. T. Patterson, who was then a professor in the college at North Middletown but shortly afterwards they moved to Lexington where he became president of Hamilton College, and there they lived until his health became impaired, when they moved to California. Dr. Patterson died in 1890.

Mrs. Patterson was a woman of wonderful versatility and the influence for good she exerted over the young women with whom she came in contact at college will ever keep her image fresh in their minds.

She is survived by three sisters, Mrs. Newton Reid and Mrs. Laura Park, of California, Mrs. D. J. Burckett, of this county, and one son, Mr. C. C. Patterson, of Los Angeles, besides many grandchildren and other relatives. At a meeting of the Board of Trustees of Hamilton College the following resolutions were passed:

"Be it resolved, That we hereby express our appreciation of the worth to our institution of this noble woman, who shared with her husband, President J. T. Patterson, the management of this institution during thirteen years of his administration, and we gladly bear testimony to the fact that her culture, her bright and happy disposition, her deep sympathy, her wonderful knowledge of human nature, her motherly heart, her positive convictions of religion and her consistent Christian example did more to mold the character of the young women of Hamilton during that period than any other influence in the college.

2. That we deeply mourn the loss of this saintly woman, who knew no class distinctions in her desire to cheer and help, whose influence for good was so great upon all classes of people with whom she came in contact, and whose life has been of untold value to society and the church.

3. That we express our sympathy to her son, Mr. C. C. Patterson, and to the many relatives who mourn their great loss, and that these resolutions be incorporated in the minutes of this meeting."

Mrs. Patterson's body will be cremated and her ashes sent here for interment in Machpelah cemetery where her husband is buried.

MAKES SPLENDID RECORD

Mr. John S. Frazer, of this city, Field Supervisor of the Equitable Life Assurance Society, is in receipt of the following letter which is self-explanatory:

"Dear Mr. Frazer:

First in deposits, first in volume and first in number of cases for the month of April in this great Agency is certainly going some, and I hasten to extend to you my heartiest congratulations.

With very best wishes, believe me,
Most cordially,

H. J. POWELL,
Manager."

For Sale—Black horse, 8 years old; also phaeton and harness. Horse sound and gentle, safe for ladies' or family animal.

Dr. P. K. McKenna.

The Advocate for printing.

TO LECTURE TODAY

Prof. J. T. C. Noe, Head of the Department of Education at State University, will deliver a lecture on "Hamlet" today at 2:15 o'clock in the High School Auditorium. Prof. Noe is himself a poet of no mean ability, having issued within the last few years a delightful little volume of poems entitled "The Loom of Life." Recently he has written a play under the name of "The Call of Blood," a dramatization of the Bible story of Esther, which when presented at the Ben Ali Theatre a few weeks ago elicited some very flattering press comment for its author.

Prof. Noe is a delightful speaker and will make his lecture on Hamlet interesting as well as instructive. The public is invited to hear him.

BOOSTING COUNTY MAN

A number of prominent Democrats, including A. S. Hart, L. L. Bridgforth, James H. Henry, M. O. Cockrell, Albert Hoffman, W. O. Chenault, M. B. French, Sidney J. Calk, Samuel W. Nixon and John A. Judy composed a Boosting Party which went to Owingsville Monday in the interest of Hon. W. B. White, candidate for the Democratic nomination for Circuit Judge. It was County Court Day there and the regular May term of the Bath Circuit Court also convened.

PHEASANTS NESTING

There was some doubt as to whether the imported Ring Neck pheasants sent to this county by the State Game Warden would make nests and try to rear their young but such doubts have been dispelled as the five birds turned loose on the farm of Mr. B. P. Jeffries seem to be perfectly satisfied and a nest full of eggs was found several days ago. It is hoped that the people will guard these birds carefully for if this is done in a few years they will become plentiful.

ACCEPTS POSITION

Miss Queen Rooney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Rooney, of this city, and one of the brightest and most deserving young girls ever reared here has just completed a business course at the W. R. Smith Business College at Lexington and has accepted a position with Mr. John W. Bain, Secretary of the Blue Grass Fair Association. Miss Rooney's many friends will be glad to learn of her good fortune in securing such a nice position.

BURGLARS BUSY AGAIN

Burglars were busy again Monday night. They broke into the residence of Mr. John R. Sharp on West High street and carried Mr. Sharp's trousers out of his room and took what money he had in a small change purse, amounting to about two dollars. They also tried to break into the residence of Mr. Allie Ratliff but were frightened away.

Residence for Sale

We offer for sale the brick residence property known as the Baptist parsonage, situated on West High street and at present occupied by Rev. J. S. Wilson. House is in thorough repair and is very desirable property. Apply to either

W. A. SUTTON or
W. T. TYLER.

NEW AUTOMOBILES

Dr. Paul K. McKenna has sold his Buick automobile to County Clerk Keller Greene and bought a very handsome 1915 model of the same make. Mr. R. G. Kern, the well-known attorney, has bought a Ford runabout.

There was a man in our town
And he was wondrous wise,
He failed to screen his windows
And his house is full of flies.

He should have consulted The
McCormick Lumber Co.

WHOLE CITY IS DEPRESSED

Death of Mrs. Elizabeth Clay Thomas Casts a Gloom Over Entire Community.

In spite of all that medical science could do and the tender, loving ministrations of her loved ones, the Grim Reaper death could not be stayed and the gentle spirit of Mrs. Elizabeth Clay Thomas, wife of Mr. R. P. Thomas, on Saturday night at 7:30 took its flight from this earth to its last home beyond. She had been ill for only a short time and it was thought about a week ago she had a chance for recovery, but He that knoweth all things, willed otherwise, so God's finger touched and she slept.

It was the writer's privilege to have known her since early childhood and a more generous hearted, staunch and loyal friend, no one ever had. Possessing the happy faculty of making and holding friends, a characteristic of the Clay family, she was one of the most popular women ever reared in this community. She had a bright, sunny disposition, was one of the most popular girls in Central Kentucky and no social function was considered complete without her charming presence.

She was only 28 years of age and death coming as it did, in the very spring time of life, when she had so much to live for, makes her taking especially sad.

She is survived by her husband, two little daughters and her father, Mr. M. C. Clay, besides many other relatives in this and adjoining counties.

Funeral services were conducted at the home by Rev. Clyde Darsie of the Christian church, of which Mrs. Thomas was a member, Monday morning at 10:30 o'clock, with burial in Machpelah cemetery. The large number of flowers were mute tributes of the love and affection in which she was held by her friends. The Advocate tenders deepest sympathy to the bereaved and heart-broken family.

Turkish towels—extra large and heavy. Regular price 25c and 35c each. This week's price 15c each.
THE FAIR.

Mandate Refused

The Court of Appeals yesterday overruled the motion of the Appellees to issue the mandate instantly in the local option case of D. N. Young, etc., vs. B. W. Trimble, etc., and similar motions in the cases from Shelby, Bourbon and Scott counties.

Under this ruling the saloons here will operate until May 25th.

BISHOP MAES DEAD

Bishop Camillus P. Maes, of the Covington diocese, died early Tuesday morning, aged 69 years, from a complication of diseases. He was Bishop of the Roman Catholic church.

Get your veal at Greenwald's.

Barber Shop Moved

I have moved my shop under the pool room, the building formerly occupied by the United Clothing Store, and will be glad to have my patrons call on me there.

"Dick" Everett.

A few seed potatoes left, to close out at 50c per bushel.

Sanitary Meat Market.

Fresh vegetables at Vanarsdell's.

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CLIPPINGS FROM THE SNAGTOWN TORCHLIGHT

The wet weather of the past several days has warped the Snagtown postoffice very badly. The postmaster, W. C. Herman, was out at the time, however, and is still considered straight.

Mrs. Dr. de Whopper has written to the "Advice to the Lovelorn" department of a city paper asking for a recipe for the cure of the sun grins. Miss Josephine Billiard says eating green gooseberries is the best cure she knows of.

The main street at Snagtown looks deserted since the hogs and cows have been prohibited from running at large.

John St. Clair is spending the week at the postoffice, watching the dirt doblers build their nests on the rafters. This is the only job of work John ever watched without suggesting a better way to do it.

"Dad" Schreengost's wagon broke down on the road leading to Panther creek Tuesday morning. He has not yet decided whether he will have it repaired or not.

A rainbow was seen east of here Thursday, but it evaporated before anybody could reach it from this place.

The early spring crop of vegetables and the mail carrier's buggy are needing rain very bad.

A man from the Coon Holler neighborhood was in Snagtown yesterday and tried to sell the postmaster a load of wood for use next winter. That gentleman should sit down somewhere and take a good long rest, as he is living entirely too far in advance.

A home talent play is being gotten up by the Possum Ridge school teacher and will be presented in a short time at the school house. There is supposed to be a real battleship in the play and the teacher has written to the navy department.

First thunderstorm of the season. Three moonshine stills were struck, but reports say that lightning got the worst of it—in fact, was splintered and scattered all over the country.

There was a singing school at Howard Skelton's last Friday night and all report a nice time. Howard is improving at this writing.

Al Williams, the Peavine Ridge prophet says: "I prophesied according to my lights 'bout the world comin' to an end when the big war broke out, but bein' only human, I didn't land it. But it's all clear to me now. It's my opinion that Providence decided it was best to let 'em fight it out a while longer till they beat some sense in each other's heads. They ain't fitten to go to judgement now, but soon as they're able to tell why they went to war an' what in thunder they're fightin' for they'll be called on to explain."

John Dasher let his imagination run away with him Friday night when he saw a strange white something sitting on a tombstone in Slate Hill graveyard.

John St. Clair has done away with his big Waterbury watch. John says he has passed many a pleasant hour with it, and bates to give it up, but he no longer needs it as he has plenty of time without it.

Al Gunther has set into courting a head-headed girl near the Wildcat school house. It is believed that he doesn't care anything about her and is only going there to make Miss Joe Billiard think more of him.

Clement Manning will raise a water melon patch on Peavine Ridge this summer, but on account of the neighbors he will poison all of the melons as fast as they get ripe.

The blind man of the Coon Holler neighborhood is preparing to send to Snagtown after change for a half dollar the next time he finds somebody going that way who will do to trust.

While digging a post hole Thursday morning Linwood Roberts unearthed a jug of licker that had been buried evidently for several months. It is elimed by "Daddy" Kirk who buried it the day he reformed. It was his intention to let it stay buried until he went to drinking again.

J. Z. Cullough has decided to cap-

ture that one hundred dollars reward that has been offered so long through the weekly papers by the Hall Catarrh Cure Company.

W. C. Herman has a combination corn-poper and rat trap.

John Dasher says being a member of the Snagtown Fiddling Band is a great "strain" on his fiddle.

The old miser, who some time ago buried his money in a mule collar, has dug it up and buried it in the Dog Hill graveyard, where he knows everybody is honest.

Chicken mites are to fowls what debts are to men.

H. E. Meginnson has an idea that Lydia E. Pinkham, the great writer, used to wear a pink sunbonnet all the time.

Charles Ewin has got stirred up over the Japanese situation. He wants war, and has put an ad. in the Possum Ridge Index wanting to exchange a cow for a good shotgun.

The Snagtown Fiddling Band serenaded a deaf and dumb man near Panther Creek Thursday night.

The rise in Panther Creek did not do any damage to bridges by becoming overflooded, they having floated off before the high water reached them.

Dr. B. W. Breedlove's head has been itching for several days. He says that is a sign Christmas is coming the latter part of 1915.

SUIT COMPROMISED

In Montgomery Circuit Court Tuesday morning the case of T. Newt. Duff, of Fayette county, against the National Fire Insurance Company, of Pittsburg, Pennsylvania, was compromised by the defendant company paying to Mr. Duff the sum of \$1,075, and paying all costs of the suit. About three years ago Mr. Duff had the farm of A. W. Stofer rented in this county, and grew eighteen acres of tobacco which he placed in a large barn, and had it insured in the National Fire Insurance Company for \$1,800. He used stoves in the barn to cure out the crop and one night the barn burned with contents. He made claim for his loss which the company declined to pay on account of use of the stoves. Duff brought suit claiming that the agents for the company gave him the right to use the stoves, and the compromise was the result of this suit, after all testimony had been given and case was about to go to the jury. Duff's loss on the tobacco was \$3,000. Duff was sued by Stofer for the burning of the barn, but the case was decided in his favor in the Clark County Circuit Court about one year ago.

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World's Pure Food Exposition, Chicago, Ill.
Paris Exposition, France, March, 1912.



You don't save money when you buy cheap or big-name baking powder. Don't be misled. Buy Calumet. It's more economical—more wholesome—gives best results. Calumet is far superior to sour milk and soda.

MAYSVILLE EXCITED OVER SECESSION MOVEMENT

Maysville is confronted with the possibility, if not the probability of losing two of its wards, the Fifth and the Sixth, by secession, if a petition which was put in circulation last week bears fruit. The instigators and signers of the petition are disgruntled over the passage by the City Council last Monday night, over the protests of a number of citizens living on East Second street, of an ordinance ordering the paving of that thoroughfare with brick. It is proposed in the petition that the two wards in question form a city government of their own under a new name and a new charter. Speculation is rife as to the outcome of the movement, the leaders of which appear very much in earnest.

JUST LUCK

The other day a man in Baltimore bid a half dollar at an express company's sale of stray packages and got a brand new typewriter in perfect condition. The man next to him bid seventy-five cents on a package just as promising and got three apple pies that had been destined for an appreciator of pies just six years ago.

We have heard successful methods persons say there is no such thing as luck. Let 'em explain what it is, if it isn't luck, that gets one man a \$100 machine for a half dollar, while the man at his elbow pays six bits for some pies which no self-respecting cat would care to taste.

Tastes differ. That's the reason we didn't marry the other fellow's wife.

FIRE and TORNADO



Traders National Bank Building

SLURRING LAW RESENTED BY CHRISTIAN SCIENTISTS

One little paragraph in the new license ordinance recently adopted by the Paris City Council has stirred up a number of prominent citizens almost to the fighting point, and the entire city administration from Mayor down are trying to explain. The offending paragraph reads as follows:

"For practicing or pretending to practice for compensation any of the arts or sciences of hypnotism, magnetic or divine healing, faith-cure, Christian Science or clairvoyance, per day, \$50."

The members of the Christian Science church of Paris, who comprise about forty representative citizens, are indignant over what they consider a slur cast upon their religious belief in thus classing them

with bynotists, etc., and will bring the matter before the City Council at its next meeting with a demand that the objectionable paragraph be removed. The city officials state that the clause is an old one, having been incorporated in the city licenses a number of years ago, and was intended to protect the citizens against quacks and those who prey upon the ignorant. They disclaim any intention of casting any aspersion upon the Christian Science doctrine, and it is thought the matter will be amicably settled at the next meeting of the Council.

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Read every ad carefully, and then you will know THE ONE when you find it, and it will be compelling in its common sense appeal to you.

It's quite becoming in a man to refer to his own insignificance, but it's a tearing insult for the other fellow to mention it.

Intelligence craves knowledge of local affairs. You have the intelligence and this paper supplies the knowledge. Come across!

If the war continues much longer leap, year will be shorn of all its advantages to our sisters across the water.

"God knows," we often hear people say, "I have trouble enough already," and usually the poor devil tells the truth.

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Oh, this man is a warty wart, and well endowed with cheek, He takes your paper for two years, and reads it every week; He never coughs up nary dime— Oh, yes, we are amused When we get that there little card, marked simply thus, "Refused."

Metal Screens.

Anyone wishing estimates on The Higgin metal window screens or Higgin all-metal window strips will please write T. A. Hendricks, (36-12t-pd) Lexington, Ky.

If it is true that dead men tell no tales, some people will have a lone-some time after they shuffle off.

FRECKLES

Don't Hide Them With a Veil; Remove Them with the Othine Prescription.

This prescription for the removal of freckles was written by a prominent physician and is usually so successful in removing freckles and giving a clear, beautiful complexion that it is sold by Bassett Drug Co., under guarantee to refund the money if it fails.

Don't hide your freckles under a veil; get an ounce of othine and remove them. Even the first few applications should show a wonderful improvement, some of the lighter freckles vanishing entirely.

Be sure and ask the druggist for the double strength othine; it is this that is sold on the money-back guarantee.

GONE AT FIVE

Then Came a Surprise.

By LOUISE MERRIFIELD.

"And now, ladies and gentlemen, we have this fine old piece of black walnut. Must have cost at least \$75 fifty years ago. Just observe the hand carving, will you? Every one of those bunches of acorns is hand carved. Mirror real French bevel. See that initial hand carved right into the wood on top? That capital K stands for Kittredge, and this hero bureau is part of the original black walnut, marble topped bedroom suit that old Grampa Kittredge bought in Boston fifty-two years ago. Ain't that so, Mrs. Kittredge?"

Standing near the veranda steps was Grandma Kittredge, slender, erect and dignified in her mourning. Her sweet old face was tear stained, but courageous, as she watched her precious furniture go under the hammer, piece by piece. It was hard, nobody knew how hard, but they were all kind to her, and even old Billy Masters, the auctioneer, was making it just as easy for her as he could, and standing next to her, one arm around her waist and the other hand holding hers in a close clasp of loving comfort, was Kitty—Kitty, for whose sake the old home and all it held were being sold.

With that soft, young hand holding hers the strength came back to her as she remembered what it meant for Kitty's sake each time one of the old, dear things was sold, and now, even when the first piece of her wedding suit was put up, she smiled bravely, closed her eyes to force back the tears and answered: "That is so, Billy."

They had bought it on their wedding trip—the black walnut "set," as she called it. It had been made to order in Boston, and she remembered how proud she had been of even the initial on each headpiece, the initial that she had taken for her own through life only a few weeks before.

"There's nothing too good for my bride to take back home with her," Tom Kittredge had said proudly. "And you shall have the marble tops, too, Kitty, darling."

Marble tops! And today old Billy was telling her neighbors to bid up, that even the marble tops were worth buying for gravestones; real, good, flawless marble was getting so scarce. The tears forced their way through her lashes this time, and Kitty junior, seeing them fall on the hand she held, raised it to her lips and kissed them away.

"Don't cry, grandma," she whispered. "I'll win it all back for you, dearest. Don't you cry."

Then while Billy's voice sounded far off she closed her eyes to shut out his figure standing on one of her dining room chairs, shut out the scattered crowd of neighbors and strangers that spread out over the lawn in front of the big colonial Kittredge homestead, and reasoned it all out with herself again—how it must be for Kitty's sake, Kitty the Third, as they had called her when Kitty the Second had laughed and cried the first time her baby daughter was laid in her arms by Kitty the First. And today Kitty the First was only poor old Grandma Kittredge, and Kitty the Second lay up under the pines in the judge's family lot on the hillside next to the judge himself, and only little seventeen-year-old Kitty was left.

It was right that the girl should have the full benefit from the old place, Grandma Kittredge told herself over and over again. She, too, would be sleeping up under the pines before long, and then only little Kitty the Third would be left, and what good would all the old fashioned furniture be to her? Dudley liked new things, and they were going to live in New York after they were married. She had heard him telling Kitty how artistically and effectively he would furnish up an apartment for her, "all in mission style."

Grandma Kittredge had wondered vaguely what the mission style was, but she said nothing. It was perfectly natural for Kitty to want her own things, just as that other Kitty years ago had wanted to go up to Boston and have the joy of buying her own things for the home wonderful. Of course Kitty the Third couldn't understand how she loved each piece of furniture. She was too young. How could she feel sad over the old bureau without the memory of the little baby garments that had been tucked away in its drawers years and years ago, of the dear old solid mirror that had reflected the face of that other bride from Boston and beside her, bending over her shoulder, the laughing,

merry, tender eyed Tom Kittredge? Fifty-two years ago it was, but how could Kitty understand? But it was for the best—surely it was all for the best—Grandma Kittredge kept telling herself, for the young people wanted to go to New York to live, and she was to go too. They were very, very kind to her. She could not stay in the old house all alone, and, then, there was no money to keep it up with.

Money? She had hardly ever bothered about the word until the judge had died. There had always been plenty of money. She had never even asked how much or what was left. The judge was the judge—that was enough. His father had owned the big white colonial mansion upon the hill before him, and even the new trolley line that cut across the front lawn in the interests of modern improvements had not taken the beauty and dignity away from the old place.

But after that last quiet ride in the spring sunshine out to the pines on the hillside they had told her gently and carefully, so as not to worry her too much, that there was no money left—that the judge had left nothing except the old home and the land it stood on.

She had tried so hard to reason it out for herself. It was not like Tom to let things go along like that and never tell her. And they had always had plenty. Kitty had gone to college with the other girls. There had never a word been said of money.

"Going, going, gone—to Miss Podmore for five." Billy's voice broke in on her reverie. "Better take that glass right off, Miss Podmore, and the marble, too, so as it won't get smashed. Dick, here, will help you. And you might as well bid up on the rest of the set. It's a shame to break it."

"Land, I don't want the heavy old stuff!" exclaimed Sue Podmore, staring blankly at the big old bureau. "My ceiling's too low for that top piece, and it's so heavy to lug around. I only bid up five because it did seem such a pity. I felt as if we were fairly insulting the old thing cheapening it so. But I don't want it."

Didn't want it when it was worth its weight in gold to her! Grandma Kittredge crossed over to where Dick Lane was trying to take the screws out of the mirror, the screws that had not been loosened for fifty-two years and came out hard.

"It's fearful hefty, Mis' Kittredge," he said, tipping it against a tree to get at the back better, and then something happened—something so amazing that it stopped the whole Kittredge auction, for as Dick's hands pulled on the hand carved, acorn trimmed bottom piece along the side it gave way in his grasp and fell out, and there in the bright sunshine lay exposed Judge Kittredge's private home bank.

"Of course, grandma, you'll do just as you please," Kitty the Third said after every one had gone and Billy and Dick had carried all the precious unsold things back to their places in the house, "but Dudley and I would love to have you live with us in town."

Grandma Kittredge smiled happily to herself and swayed gently back and forth in her little low sewing rocker that Miss Podmore had kept her eye on ever since the sale had begun.

"Well, it's real sweet of you to say so, dearie," she answered, "and I know you both mean it, but as long as there's the means to keep it with—how much did Dudley say your grandpa had put in that drawer—twelve thousand and some odd? Well, I kind of think that I'll stay right here. You can come out to visit me often, and there may be others to consider, you know."

"Others?" said Kitty the Third inquiringly. "Others, grandma?"

"There may be Kitty the Fourth some day, dear heart, who would love the old place and even the furniture some day, dearie, when you are old, too, and I am up with grandpa on the hill, and black walnut furniture has come in style again."

And while she folded her arms about the girlish figure kneeling beside her the sweet old face was full of a half merry, quizzical tenderness as she added, "Some day when mission style's gone out of date, dearie, so we'll keep every dear old piece that came from Boston years ago."

Travels of a Drop of Water.

A German has made a calculation of the time that elapses before a drop of water evaporated on the surface returns to the ocean. The total volume of water brought annually to the sea is 1-3, 460 of the total contents of the ocean. A particle of water before evaporation has stayed in the ocean on an average 3460 years. Once evaporated, the drop becomes condensed in about ten days, and is then speedily drawn back to its ancient home.—Harper's Weekly.

Commissioner's Sale

MONTGOMERY CIRCUIT COURT.

Myrtle E. Thomson, &c., ...Plffs.
Vs.
Clifton BushDefendant.

Notice of Sale in Equity.

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Montgomery Circuit Court, rendered at the April term, 1915, thereof, in the above cause, the undersigned will, on the 17th day of May, 1915, at one o'clock P. M., or thereabout, (being Court Day), proceed to offer for sale, at Public Auction, to the highest bidder, on a credit of 6 and 12 months, at the Court House door, in Mt. Sterling, Ky., the property mentioned in the judgment, to-wit:

Lying in Montgomery Co., Ky., and bounded on the north by the lands of F. H. Blount and Keller Greene; on the south by J. W. Hon and George Lee; on the east by the Grassy Lick pike and on the west by the lands of Keller Greene and containing eight acres of land, more or less.

The purchaser will be required to give bond, with approved security, for the payment of the purchase money, to have the force and effect of a replevin bond, bearing legal interest from the day of sale, according to law. Bidders will be prepared to comply with these terms. A lien will be retained on the land sold till all the purchase money is paid. Bond payable to the undersigned. Wm. A. SAMUELS, 43-3t Master Commissioner M. C. C.

Commissioner's Sale

MONTGOMERY CIRCUIT COURT.

H. R. Prewitt, Committee, &c., ...Plff
Vs.
Bettie Hunt, &c.,Defendants

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The undivided one-eighth interest in remainder, of Bettie Hunt subject to the dower right of Lizzie Hurt, in and to a certain tract of land set aside and allotted to said Lizzie Hurt, as the widow of H. G. Hurt, deceased, in the suit of Lizzie Hurt, &c., plaintiffs vs. Mason Hurt, &c., defendants, lately pending in the Montgomery Circuit Court and which land lies in Montgomery Co., Ky., and is described thus:

Beginning at a stone corner with Moberly; thence S. 131 poles to a stone in Moberly's line corner with J. H. Mason; thence N. 88½ E. 123.2 poles to a stone corner with Mrs. Lizzie Hurt; thence N. ¼ W. 126.5 poles to a stone corner with Moberly; thence N. 89½ W. 123.3 poles to the beginning, containing 99 acres, 1 rood and 8 poles of land and of record in Divisions of Land and Allotment of Dowers Book 1, page 47, Montgomery County Court Clerk's office.

The purchaser will be required to give bond, with approved security, for the payment of the purchase money, to have the force and effect of a Replevin Bond, bearing legal interest from the day of sale, according to law. Bidders will be prepared to comply with these terms. A lien will be retained on the land sold till all the purchase money is paid. Bond payable to the plaintiff, H. R. Prewitt, Committee. WM. A. SAMUELS, 43-3t Master Commissioner M. C. C.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are authorized to announce the following gentlemen as Democratic candidates at the State Primary, Saturday, August 7, 1915:

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William A. Young,
W. B. White,
B. F. Day,

FOR COMMONWEALTH'S ATTORNEY

Chas. W. Nesbitt,
W. C. Hamilton,
B. S. Wilson,
Jno. A. Daugherty,

FOR CIRCUIT COURT CLERK

Jno. H. Blount,
Geo. W. Anderson, Jr.,

FOR MEMBER GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Asa B. Pieratt,

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

FIRST DISTRICT

O. W. McCormick
T. J. Thomas,

SECOND DISTRICT

T. C. Oulsenberry
C. L. Dean

THIRD DISTRICT

A. L. Tipton
E. B. Oulsenberry

FOR CITY CLERK

Henry M. Ringo.
John S. Duty

FOR CHIEF OF POLICE

John Gibbons
James C. Tipton

FOR CITY TREASURER

C. B. Patterson

FOR CITY ASSESSOR

W. T. Fitzpatrick, Jr.

THE OCCUPATION TAX FUND

The sum received for saloons for the five months of this year at the increased sum of \$1,000 per annum, having almost equaled an entire year at the old sum of \$500, we have heard several citizens mention the subject of what will be done with the occupation tax money paid to the city by our business men.

We have been told that it has been suggested by one Councilman that it be spent on two streets. With all due respect, for our part, we do not subscribe to that idea. If it is not to be returned, either in whole or in part, to those who paid it into the coffers of the city, (and for our part, we gladly renounce any claim we may have to any part of it, if it is deemed best for the city's interests), then we suggest that it be placed to the credit of the Current Expense Fund; that the floating indebtedness, which we are told is approximately \$2,000, be paid and the residue expended in improving all the macadam streets of the city. This would more equally distribute the benefits and would be more equitable as we see it.

It must be kept in mind by those in authority, that the revenues of the city will hereafter be greatly curtailed and now that the opportunity is presented to wipe out the city's floating indebtedness and face our new problems with a substantial bank balance available for all purposes, in our judgment it ought not be overlooked, as we shall not soon see a similar situation.

MISS ROSEBERRY

WILL RECOVER

Physicians who have been attending Miss Carolyn Roseberry, of Paris, at the hospital at Versailles, expressed the belief that she will recover, notwithstanding the terrible injuries she received in an automobile accident last Sunday night a week ago. She has never lost confidence herself that she would recover, and has said daily that she was going to get well.

Fresh fish received daily. Cheap now.

Sanitary Meat Market.

FINDS NO VIOLATIONS

Dr. Will N. Craig, of Stanford, United States Inspector under the Harrison Narcotic Act regulating the sale of morphine, cocaine and other drugs, was in this city Thursday calling on the druggists and making diligent inquiry as to any violations of the new law. Dr. Craig found no druggist in this city who had not kept the strictest account of these narcotics in full compliance with the law as is required.

Notice!

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THE REVIVAL OF PARKS HILL

Parks' Hill Camp Ground, early in the seventies, was first used as an old-fashioned camp meeting ground, and for many years the ten days' meeting was always a noted event in Central Kentucky, and thousands flocked there, partly for religious and partly for social reasons.

Later, it was turned into a chauntanqua, or an assembly, and for years its patrons were able to hear some of the greatest men and orators of the age, and crowds estimated at 10,000 and more, assembled to listen to such men as Sam Jones, Wm. Jennings Bryan, DeWitt Talmage, Lyman Abbott and other great thinkers and speakers.

Parks' Hill Camp Meeting and Parks' Hill Assembly were great and glorious institutions, and did untold good, though earping critics were not lacking. But the public, rather than the stockholders, were reaping the benefits, and any institution that does not pay a dividend, finds it hard to exist, and Parks' Hill was sold to private parties.

Call Vanarsdell when you want nice, fresh strawberries.

All sensible people who have the means and opportunity, recuperate themselves by frequent pauses for recreation. They do not defer this period of pleasure until the closing months of a worn-out life. They are too wise to expect impossibilities of nature—the recuperation of any utterly exhausted body. They are grateful to heaven that they possess the means which is wisely used to prolong a useful existence.

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Best Home Killed beef, pork and
veal at Vanarsdell's.

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Fresh lettuce, kale, radishes, onions, etc. at Vanarsdell's.

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AT

Public Auction Saturday, May 15

1915

at 2 o'clock p. m.

On the premises on Antwerp Avenue, I will sell the frame one-story cottage of 4 rooms and kitchen, known as the Cunningham residence and now occupied by Mrs. Gray. The house is an excellent one for an investment and now rents for \$11 per month and will pay good interest on investment. The cottage is on a lot about 50x200 and is in an excellent neighborhood. It will make a nice home for anyone. The place is going to be sold and this is your chance to buy a nice home at your own figures. Let me show you the place. Don't forget day and date. Residence adjoins Wm. Blevins and Mrs. Mary Schlegel. Terms announced day of sale.

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"TALK WITH HOFFMAN"

WILL BE MANAGER

It has been practically decided that Mr. Wallace W. Howe will manage Olympian Springs hotel, this season. This is good news to patrons of the Springs from this city for they know Mr. Howe most favorably in the capacity of manager from the seasons gone by.

The best of everything to eat at
Vanarsdell's.

Smoked tenderloins and dried beef
Sanitary Meat Market.

PRIZE WINNERS

Messrs. T. Gibbons, L. R. Douglas and Marvin Gay were the winners of the prizes given at the Tabb Opera House in the guessing contest Saturday night.

It isn't what a woman knows that worries her, it is what she would like to know.

Fresh vegetables received daily at
Vanarsdell's.

Talking "clean-up" is a good thing, but DOING IT puts you in an advanced class.

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The dearest, sweetest and coziest spot on earth; man's best place when the day's work is done; it is woman's world of freedom and love; the children's haven; and it is where Jesus' presence can be.

Love, peace, charity, self-denial, kindness, consideration of each other's feelings, religion, truth the priceless jewel and economy, are the first things to acquire to make the ideal home, and then all things shall be added thereto.

It's passing strange how poverty stricken we all become when the tax collector is abroad.

MOONSHINE RAID

A. D. Wells, U. S. Deputy Collector, accompanied by Deputy United States Marshal P. C. Eubank and posseman Jas. R. Peed made a moonshine raid in Elliott county last week and captured a large still, together with a lot of whiskey, beer, etc., which they destroyed.

For a nice steak, roast, ham or anything in the meat line call Vanarsdell.

An exchange says "a corkscrew is sometimes used in opening an argument." Funny how names change.

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Anything needed for Painting at the lowest prices at

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PERSONALS

Mr. Howard Wyatt spent Sunday in Lexington.

Miss Alma Neshitt was in Lexington shopping last week.

Mr. J. L. McCoy was a business visitor to our city Monday.

Mr. John G. Winn returned from a business trip to New York Saturday.

Mrs. Harry Samly, of Paris, was the guest of Mrs. J. S. Wilson last week.

Mr. Robt. Vanarsdell returned from Hot Springs, Ark. the first of the week.

Miss Louise Lloyd left Monday for San Francisco, Cal. to attend the Exposition.

Mrs. Ollie Hadden, of Winchester, visited Mrs. W. C. Moore and other relatives here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McNamara left Sunday afternoon for their home in Memphis, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. W. Lockridge are visiting their daughter, Mrs. L. G. Cannon, in Scott county.

Mr. James S. Rogers, of Deland, Fla., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Rogers, in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben F. Perry left Saturday for a several weeks visit to friends and relatives in California.

Rev. J. S. Wilson was called to Shelby county yesterday to conduct the funeral service of Mrs. E. B. Long.

Mrs. D. Brooks, who has been visiting friends and relatives here and at Sharpsburg, returned to her home last week.

Mrs. J. W. Hedden is in Lexington with her daughter, Mrs. T. B. Arthur, who is soon to undergo another operation.

Miss Flo Shirley left Monday for Frankfort, Ind., where she will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. James K. Shropshire.

Mr. J. Rice Crooks is expected home today from Rochester, Minn., to take active charge of all road work in the county.

Mr. B. S. Wilson, of Morehead, candidate for Commonwealths Attorney in this district, was in this city Saturday in the interest of his candidacy.

Messrs. C. W. Neshitt, W. B. White, W. C. Hamilton and B. F. Day, of the local bar, are attending

Circuit Court at Owingville this week.

Miss Lela Prewitt is visiting her sister, Mrs. William Dimitt, at Sharpsburg.

Mr. Rex Hall left Saturday for San Francisco and other western cities. He will be gone about two months.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Greenwade, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McNamara and Miss Florence McNamara motored to Lexington last Wednesday and attended the races.

Miss Jean Kendall, of Danville, and guests, Misses Irene Sebastian, of Cincinnati and Anna Pogue, of Mayslick, spent the week-end with Mrs. B. F. Thomson.

Mr. Jno. S. Frazer will attend a banquet at the Pendennis Club in Louisville next Friday night given in honor of Vice President Linger, of the Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Greenwade motored to Lexington Tuesday and entertained Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McNamara, of Memphis, Tenn., and Miss Florence McNamara with an elaborate dinner at the Phoenix.

Among those from here who witnessed the Derby at Louisville Saturday were Messrs. Squire Turner, D. R. Maupin, Wm. Ryan, Rice Wyatt, V. V. Sewell, R. C. Lloyd, R. C. Gatewood, Chenault Woodford, Colonel Gatewood, L. N. Beall, F. B. McCabe, Kelly Laughlin and James Lloyd.

THE SICK

Wm. Punburn is ill with the mumps.

Miss Lucy Mae Eubank is able to be out again.

Mrs. E. R. Harper is suffering with rheumatic fever.

Mr. Clay Cisco is suffering with acute indigestion.

There is little change in the condition of Mr. William Turley.

Mr. J. W. Heath is quite sick at his home on North Queen street.

Mrs. W. E. Little, who has been ill, is much improved this week.

Mrs. Dan Holland is slightly better this week although still in a serious condition.

Mrs. Gay Wilson, who has been quite ill for several days, is considerably better.

The condition of Mrs. W. P. Guthrie is causing her family and friends much uneasiness.

Little Rose Punch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Punch is suffering with catarrhal fever.

The condition of Mrs. Nannie K. Hilder, who is ill at a hospital in Lexington, remains about the same.

Little Miss America Eugene Fessler, daughter of Mrs. Mary Fessler, is confined to her room with measles.

Miss Hazel Messer was taken to Lexington yesterday where an operation will be performed for appendicitis.

Reports from Marion, Ind. say that Mr. John McGillaway is still in a critical condition and owing to his advanced age it is feared that he cannot survive.

Miss Lucy Randall was taken to Lexington Saturday where an opera-

tion for appendicitis was performed. She stood the operation well and is getting along nicely.

Mrs. W. R. Thompson and Mrs. F. W. Bassett have returned from Olympian Springs where they have been for the past ten days and both are greatly improved.

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WILL SPEAK

Dr. Ellis Barnes, of Richmond, will lecture at Parks' Hill Camp Grounds next Sunday. Dr. Barnes is an eloquent speaker and his subject will be in keeping with the day.

Mops.

Special sale of regular 25c cotton floor mops. Size 18 oz. This week's price, 15c each.

THE FAIR.

We appreciate your patronage at Greenwade's.

Notice to Contractors.

Sealed bids will be received by the Fiscal Court of Montgomery County until 1 o'clock p. m., Saturday, May 15, 1915, for 620 rods of knapped or crushed stone.

For particulars as to roads, etc., see handbills at County Attorney's office.

W. F. CROOKS,
County Road Engineer.

Prize fighters? Whisper softly—they are angels compared to the butchers of Europe.

SOCIAL EVENTS

Mr. and Mrs. George B. Turner entertained at dinner Sunday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Dillard McGuire.

Mrs. H. G. Hoffman was hostess at a Five Hundred party given last Wednesday morning in honor of her niece, Miss Hael Grubbs. The entertainment was one of the most charming of the season.

Friends are receiving the following invitation:

Mrs. Ahner Oldham
At Home
on Thursday, May twentieth
from three until six o'clock
Fourteen Howard Ave.

To meet
Mrs. Joseph Daiselle
Mrs. Ronald Cabot Oldham
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Who Knows?

Is it possible Mt. Sterling has a people not acquainted with all of her enterprises and industries? Who knows of the squares of glass in the Harris greenhouses? Who knows this plant is one of the most complete and up-to-date in the State? Who knows the various varieties of flowers that are cut daily from its products? Who knows this firm has artists who, in the arranging of the botanic beauties produced there rival those of greater pretensions?—Adv.

A few seed potatoes left, to close out at 50c per bushel.

Sanitary Meat Market.

If the responsibility for this war cannot be located elsewhere, doubtless it will be saddled onto Eve.

Lamb, pork, veal and beef.
Sanitary Meat Market.

NO. 2185

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

The Mt. Sterling National Bank

at Mt. Sterling, in the State of Kentucky, at the close of business May 1st, 1915.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts (notes held in bank)	\$343,871.50
Total loans	\$343,871.50
Overdrafts, unsecured	1,677.52
U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)	50,000.00
U. S. bonds owned and unpledged	60.00
Total U. S. bonds	50,060.00
Subscription to stock of Federal Reserve Bank	\$6,900.00
Less amount unpaid	3,450.00
Banking house	22,000.00
Due from Federal Reserve Bank	7,000.00
Due from approved reserve agents in New York, Chicago and St. Louis	3,024.00
Due from approved reserve agents in other reserve cities	57,857.81
Due from banks and bankers (other than included in 8 or 9)	5,953.62
Checks on banks in the same city or town as reporting bank	12.62
Outside checks and other cash items	304.96
Fractional currency, nickels and cents	144.95
Notes of other national banks	170.00
Lawful money reserve in bank:	
Total coin and certificates	18,761.80
Legal-tender notes	2,235.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (not more than 5 per cent on circulation)	2,500.00
Total	\$519,023.78

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus fund	65,000.00
Undivided profits	\$34,426.06
Reserved for taxes	877.11
Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid	3,095.06
Circulating notes	50,000.00
Less amount on hand and in Treasury for redemption or in transit	5,850.00
Due to banks and bankers (other than included in 5 or 6)	378.81
Demand deposits:	
Individual deposits subject to check	325,111.26
Certified checks	1,175.00
Cashier's checks outstanding	1,000.00
Total	\$519,023.78

State of Kentucky, County of Montgomery, ss:
I, C. B. PATTERSON, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. B. PATTERSON, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of May, 1915.
My commission expires Feb. 3rd, 1918.
J. H. CONNER,
Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
W. S. LLOYD
CHAS. D. GRUBBS
STEVE PIERATT
Directors.

NO. 6160

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

The Montgomery National Bank

at Mt. Sterling, in the State of Kentucky, at the close of business May 1st, 1915.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts (notes held in bank)	\$189,227.03
Overdrafts, unsecured	61.12
U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)	50,000.00
Subscription to stock of Federal Reserve Bank	\$4,500.00
Less amount unpaid	2,250.00
Banking house	6,500.00
Due from Federal Reserve Bank	5,000.00
Due from approved reserve agents in New York, Chicago and St. Louis	17,477.61
Due from approved reserve agents in other reserve cities	62,458.77
Due from banks and bankers (other than included in 8 or 9)	471.13
Checks on banks in the same city or town as reporting bank	2,185.04
Outside checks and other cash items	7.72
Fractional currency, nickels and cents	143.62
Notes of other national banks	2,010.00
Federal Reserve notes	110.00
Lawful money reserve in bank:	
Total coin and certificates	11,515.90
Legal-tender notes	1,105.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (not more than 5 per cent on circulation)	1,150.00
Internal Revenue stamp account	62.50
Total	\$351,735.44

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus fund	25,000.00
Undivided profits	\$14,924.70
Reserved for taxes	1,375.10
Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid	1,022.65
Circulating notes	50,000.00
Less amount on hand and in Treasury for redemption or in transit	1,350.00
Demand deposits:	
Individual deposits subject to check	\$213,468.43
Certified checks	31.00
Cashier's checks outstanding	208.86
Total	\$351,735.44

State of Kentucky, County of Montgomery, ss:
I, Pierce Winn, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

PIERCE WINN, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of May, 1915.
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UNDER THE CIRCUMSTANCES

The vote in Boyd county against a bond issue of \$50,000 is not to be taken to mean that the sentiment for good roads is on the wane. But \$500,000 is a large sum to spend unless there is a guarantee that there will be a dollar of return for every dollar expended. With only seven field men for the whole State to take over the work of State supervision—and three of the seven supplied by the Federal Government—the county that thinks twice before it votes bonds is not greatly to be blamed. Seven men, no matter how competent, cannot work the miracle of effective supervision in road building in 104 counties, and lack of effective supervision, even more than of money, has been responsible for the lack of good roads in Kentucky. Boyd county, under present conditions, is to be commended for discretion rather than accused of reaction.

But what of the counties that have voted bonds on the strength of the State's guarantee of effective State supervision?

There an obligation has already been assumed by the State. If there were no funds available for supervision, the State might enter a plea in confession and avoidance. Yet the funds for supervision are ample. It needs only the consent of the Governor to make them available. If that word is given, Boyd and no other county can find excuse if it fails to build good roads and to build them now. Without it, the State will be responsible for the greatest waste of money by the respective counties in one year that the whole had none too creditable history of road building in Kentucky has to record.—Louisville Times.

If you want to keep your wife in ignorance of your flirtations with other women just tell her all about them. Chances are she won't believe a word you say and will simply size you up as a boaster.

CONVENTION AT OWINGSVILLE

The Eighth District Christian Woman's Board of Missions and Bible School Convention will be held at Owingsville, Bath county, on Thursday and Friday, May 13 and 14. There are six counties in the district, and a large attendance is expected. The session of the Bible School will be presided over by the Rev. Clyde Darsie, pastor of the Christian church in this city, who is president of the district. The Rev. Bruce W. Trimble, also of this city, is secretary of the district.

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WEBSTER'S LITTLE JOKE.

It Kept Washington Irving on the Anxious Seat For Awhile.

When in 1826 Washington Irving was preparing his "Life of Columbus," he took up his abode at the home of the American consul in Madrid, and some time later, while collecting materials for his "Conquest of Granada" and "The Alhambra," he lived for quite a long time in southern Spain. Then, after serving as secretary of the American legation at London, he returned from his long sojourn abroad to his own country to enjoy the fruits of his fame.

But as time went on the memories of those days in Spain grew sweeter and there sprang up in his breast a longing to visit again the land where life had been so pleasant. So in 1842 he resolved to call upon Mr. Webster, then secretary of state, and ask of him the humble post of bearer of dispatches to the minister to Spain, who was about to be appointed, in order to diminish the expenses of a trip to that country.

When he called on the secretary at his private residence, however, and preferred his modest request, he was a little embarrassed by the hesitation of Mr. Webster, who told him that he could not grant the request until he had consulted the president. Accordingly, Irving took his leave, his gentle nature somewhat hurt by such cold treatment.

When he returned a few days later to learn what success his petition had met his embarrassment was further increased when in the course of a long conversation Mr. Webster made no allusion whatever to the subject of the much desired position. At length, convinced that that was the secretary's method of conveying his refusal, Irving rose to take his departure.

Then Mr. Webster, rising with him, said:

"I regret to say that I have found it impossible to give you the position for which you asked the other day, because"—and here he smiled quizzically and placed his hand on Irving's shoulder—"because this morning the president appointed you envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary to the court of Spain! And neither I nor the president," continued Mr. Webster, as Irving stood speechless with astonishment and delight, "consider it in keeping with the honor and dignity of that high position that you should be a dispatch bearer to yourself."—Youth's Companion.

Settled Him.

The following fable, which is probably of Turkish origin, is not without a touch of truth: As a woman was walking, a man looked at and followed her.

"Why," said she, "do you follow me?"

"Because," he replied, "I have fallen in love with you."

"Why so? My sister, who is coming after me, is much handsomer than I am. Go and make love to her."

The man turned back and saw a woman with an ugly face, and, being greatly displeased, returned and said, "Why should you tell me a falsehood?"

The woman answered: "Neither did you tell me the truth. For if you were in love with me, why did you look back for another woman?"

The Name of the Jungfrau.

Whence does the Jungfrau derive its name? There was, it appears, in the fifteenth century a nunnery at Interlaken. The nuns owned what is now the Wengern alp and was then denominated, out of compliment to its proprietors, the "Jungfrauenberg" or "Mountain of the Young Women." When a name was wanted for the snow peak opposite, the Jungfrauenberg naturally supplied it. It was called the Jungfrau—an appellation which in the course of the years was abbreviated into Jungfrau.—Westminster Gazette.

Agreeably Disappointed.

Sidney had been dining out with his parents and had eaten as heartily as any boy of five years well could. While the adults were sipping their after dinner coffee Sidney straightened up in his chair and emitted a sigh.

"What is the matter Sidney? Haven't you had a good dinner?" inquired the hostess.

"Oh, yes'm, a great deal better dinner than I expected," said Sidney.

Barley Water.

Barley water is a safe drink and is nutritious as well. Put into a pitcher one large tablespoonful of well washed pearl barley, pour over it two quarts of boiling water, cover and let stand until cold. Drain off the liquid, add half a cupful of sugar and a little nutmeg. If liked the juice of a lemon is a pleasant addition.

CONSOLIDATION OF SCHOOLS

(By J. B. McFerran).

My last article was from the report of Mr. Fred H. Rankin, who was sent out by the University of Illinois at the formal request of the Farmers' Institutes of that State to make a personal inspection of the Consolidated School question, as to the advantages or disadvantages of that system. This article is a continuation of Mr. Rankin's report, he being at this point in the report in northern Ohio. He says:

"Centralization (or consolidation) in Ohio originated in Kingsville, Ash-tabula county, 1892, since which time a large number of townships throughout the Western Reserve have consolidated their schools and are transporting their children. In this part of Ohio we find the bulk of the centralized schools, not only those which have been longest in operation, but also those which are in all stages of work, from the earliest organization to complete centralization. In some townships, such as in Madison, in Lake county, there are two or more centralized schools, while in others they are centralized about the villages. In a number of instances the writer visited different townships which were all embraced in one district and the children are brought to one centralized school. The Kingsville school bears all the marks of a thoroughly organized and efficient high school. There is a good library which has been increased by a number of volumes bought by the literary society of the school. Twelve grades are taught and at the time of my visit there were 74 pupils in the high school. The Superintendent is a graduate of Oberlin College and receives a salary of \$1200. A significant indication as to how this movement is regarded was the fact that a vote was taken during the present year by which two sub-districts which had not been included in the centralized school expressed their desire to take advantage of the better opportunities and come in as a part of the centralized district. The vote on the question stood six to one in favor of the movement, and the writer was assured by several who were conversant with the facts that almost invariably those who were antagonistic to the movement were patrons who did not have children in the school. The two sub-districts cited above lay in remote corners of the township and were the last to vote whether they would abandon their schools and join the centralized school at Kingsville. The following written statement from Mr. Will Tyrell, of Kingsville, who was a member of the Board of Education will give a clear understanding as to how he canvassed his district and the results. He says:

"Desiring to know the wishes of the parents of my district, I only visited those who had children attending school and found that with one exception, all wanted their children taken to the Kingsville high school. The one exception was a boy of 5 years old and they thought him too young to ride so far. The opposition comes from those who have no children to educate or those who care not as to their children's education. The objections raised are of no value when compared with the advantages derived from the centralizing plan." "Having to start so early in the morning is one of the objections raised. But where it has been in operation for two years or more nothing more is said about it. Another is greater danger of contracting contagious diseases. "So far we have not suffered from that cause. Those who are backward about accepting advanced ideas many objections that are not worthy of notice.

"The advantages of centralization are many, among them has been found, that the attendance has been more regular, very seldom are scholars absent; much more interest is being taken and greater progress made. They have greater advantages, better teachers, more competition in their work and in the end are far more accomplished than

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would have been possible had they attended the district school. I might add that the children have been warmer and more comfortable. (To Be Continued.)

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Supervisors of road construction in Kentucky this year have been assigned to their districts by State Commissioner Terrell. Mr. R. E. Toms, of the Federal Department, who has had charge of the construction of the model road to Sharpsburg from this city, will have Bath, Bourbon, Clark, Fleming, Madison, Menefee, Montgomery, Nicholas, Powell and Rowan.

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SPELLING AS AN ASSET

Dean Briggs, of Harvard University, says the average citizen of the United States is a poor speller, and thinks the time is ripe for an uplift movement along this line. He admits that many men who have attained prominence in various walks of life have been poor spellers, and were deficient in their knowledge of English grammar, but their achievements in other directions were so notable that lapses in spelling and in writing correct English were overlooked.

To the young man entering upon a business or a professional career, to say nothing of the artisan, there is no greater asset, in the present era, than a knowledge of the rudiments of English literature and the ability to spell and write correctly. Every line of human endeavor is being advanced to a higher plane, and with this advancement everybody must keep pace who expects to be a contender for one of the prizes of life.

Correct writing and spelling stamp a man as not only being educated, but thorough. Those who sit in judgment on him when he writes a letter applying for a position are as inflexible as Minos. There must be no mistakes in spelling, no errors in grammatical construction. Proficiency in these essentials appeals to the employer, chiefly because it reflects the thorough man—the man who is careful. And, in the tenets of trade, the man who is thorough in little things is not likely to be slovenly in matters of greater moment.

Perhaps, as Dean Briggs observes, there is not enough care paid to teaching spelling to the young today; but if this detail of one's education has been neglected, self-education should correct it. It is easy enough, with a little application, to become a good speller, and one doesn't need a preceptor standing over him to master the rudiments of grammar. Self-analysis will show whether there is a deficiency in these branches, and if it be discovered that there is one may become his own teacher even though school days

have long passed. The poor speller and writer in this age is under a handicap in the battle of life, but, fortunately, the door is open to all who apply themselves, and any young man with the proper grit and ambition can teach himself all he needs to know.

Mules for Sale

I have for sale 20 coming two-year-old mules. Extra good ones. Owing to the quarantine I am unable to ship mules as I have been doing for many years. If you want good ones, come and look these over.

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Sophia Holmes was a free colored woman, the wife of a slave owned by Colonel Seaton, who lived in Washington at the beginning of the war between the states. The husband was with the army and lost his life at the battle of Manassas, so his widow, who had ten children to care for, applied to General Spinner, then treasurer of the United States, for work. She was given the task of sweeping, dusting and emptying wastebaskets at a salary of \$15 a month.

One day, after the clerks had all left the rooms, she discovered that one of the boxes in which waste paper was thrown was almost full of big bundles of crisp, new money! Some of the bills were as high in denomination as \$1,000. They were all neatly packed, and enough litter to hide them was spread over them.

Sophia hastily covered up the treasure and continued her work as if nothing had happened. The watchman, making his last rounds, asked her why she lingered so late. She pretended to be busy, and the man kept on and left her undisturbed. Sophia feared to tell the watchman what she had found. "He might er tuck the money hisself, and then laid it on me," she afterward said.

Now Sophia knew that it was the habit of General Spinner to spend the night in his office. So great was his anxiety at this time that he slept in a little room that adjoined his main office. In a jacket and slippers he would rest most of the night, although he would get up frequently to make a tour of the building and satisfy himself that everything was in perfect order.

So Sophia waited. She sat on the box of money and nodded. The hours slipped by and still she failed to hear the tap, tap! of the old slippers coming down the stone halls. But at last she heard the familiar footsteps approach her door. As General Spinner was about to pass, she stepped forward.

"Jest step in here and see what I done find!" exclaimed Sophia in a mysterious voice. Then she took the litter from the top of a big box and showed to the startled man the bundles of new money within.

General Spinner sent at once for some of the treasury officials; the money was counted and found to amount to over \$200,000. Meanwhile he sent Sophia home in a carriage to her waiting little ones.

No one ever found out who put almost a quarter of a million dollars of newly printed money into a trash box. The mystery remains unsolved to this day. As a reward for her honesty, Sophia Holmes was appointed to a position that paid her more than \$50 a month. She died several years ago at the ripe age of seventy-nine years.—Youth's Companion.

Cloves of Pemba.

About two-thirds of all the cloves come from a little island named Pemba that lies about 5 degrees south of the equator, just within sight of the mainland of Africa, between Mombasa and Zanzibar. The island of Pemba is only thirty-five miles long and ten wide. It is a low, jungle covered, fever haunted spot, surrounded by coral reefs and inhabited by indolent, unintelligent and improvident natives and a small handful of Europeans.

The clove tree is singularly delicate and must have a combination of climatic conditions that exist in a few places on earth. Where it will grow at all it will grow wild and in profusion.

Liberia.

The republic of Liberia was founded in 1820 by the American Colonization society, which was established by Henry Clay in 1816. The capital of the republic, Monrovia, was so named in honor of James Monroe, president of the United States at the time the republic was founded. Many blacks were taken over from this country, with the idea that, having become civilized to a certain extent here, they would act as valuable assistants to the natives in the work of managing the fortunes of the new state. Liberia has never prospered and is at the present time "in the hands of a receiver," so to speak.—New York American.

Move the Carpet.

Every now and then, instead of allowing the stair carpet to remain in exactly the same position as first placed, the tread of the carpet should be moved a couple of inches or so either up or down. This has the effect of keeping the pile of the carpet in a uniform condition, and, besides retaining the fresh appearance of the carpet, it helps it to last much longer than it would if left exactly as laid. It costs nothing to do this, but saves much.

GET DOWN AND PUSH

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(By Major F. W. Barber.)
Chicago, Ill.

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Your town needs your strength, your assistance.

GET DOWN AND PUSH.

The generation that is passing away started you on the road to influence—pushed you along life's pathway—headed you for that goal which you now enjoy.

THEY GAVE YOU A PUSH—and your own energy, and perseverance, and determination did the rest.

Now you are on top and a generation is springing up, and they, have an ambition to achieve.

But their goal is a long way up, and the road is steep, and there are many obstacles to be overcome before your children and your neighbor's children may hope to reach the goal of THEIR ambition.

The community standard in vogue when you were a boy doubtless high for those times, but the same standard is hopeless today—a relic of the past—an impossibility of the future.

To maintain its relative position in the world your community must prosper, and grow, and expand.

And your children are confronted with these changing conditions.

To hold your town down to the early standard is like cutting the throat of your faithful dog, or ensting your bank book into the flames.

But advancing its material interests is like casting the loaves and fishes to the hungry multitudes.

You are successful—the past has enriched you of its wealth—the future is one of peace, FOR YOU.

But what of the children of today—what of those growing to manhood and womanhood only to be forced to meet the serious problems of a few years hence?

What of the future of YOUR OWN DESCENDANTS?

A retarded commercial spirit, a throttled community growth, all portend a struggle with adversity in the years to come.

Other men of means and prominence will act, and OTHER COMMUNITIES will forge to the front and prosper—and if YOUR community simply remains stationary it will soon be subsisting on the crumbs that others cast aside.

What are YOU doing to do about it—you men of MEANS and the ABILITY TO ACT?

Are you going to GET DOWN AND PUSH?

Are you going to assist YOUR children, as your FATHERS assisted YOU?

Are you going to give YOUR town a SHOVE to the FRONT—a BOOST that will mean PROSPERITY for the FUTURE?

A town that is worth LIVING in is worth BOOSTING.

And all good citizens should be boosters—in fact, the really DESIRABLE citizens ARE boosters.

This world is moving at a rapid pace, and America leads the van.

Do you want to see your children marching well up to the FRONT—in the position of HONOR—or would you prefer to see them ambling along in the dust of more progressive people?

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The Winchester council Friday night refused to grant licenses to the saloons of the city, every member of the board opposing that action except T. L. Nunan and C. B. George, both of whom are interested in the saloon business.

The crowd in attendance filled the council chamber and was evidently not in sympathy with the efforts of the saloon men to obtain licenses to continue their business. The licenses expire May 20 but it is not known just when the saloons will close or what action, if any, they will take further. The council will meet again the third Friday night in May.

Councilman Nunan criticised both the Winchester papers and the Lexington Herald, repeating the charge previously made in the local option campaign that Lexington was in sympathy with the "drys" and seeking to monopolize the liquor business in Central Kentucky.

Mr. Nunan was especially severe in his comments on the editorials of the Lexington Herald relating to the saloon fight for existence despite the local option laws and the result of the local option elections.

Notice!

All persons having claims against the estate of J. King Todd, deceased, will please file same, properly proven, with my attorney, Charles D. Grubbs.

Ed. M. Todd,
44-3t. Administrator.

The fellow who talks the slimiest of other women is usually the most jealous of the good name of his own sister. Judging others by his own standard, you know.

When a woman takes a man for better or worse, time generally claps emphasis on the worse.

POPULAR EXCURSION

HIGH BRIDGE

KENTUCKY

Sunday, May 16th

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Round Trip

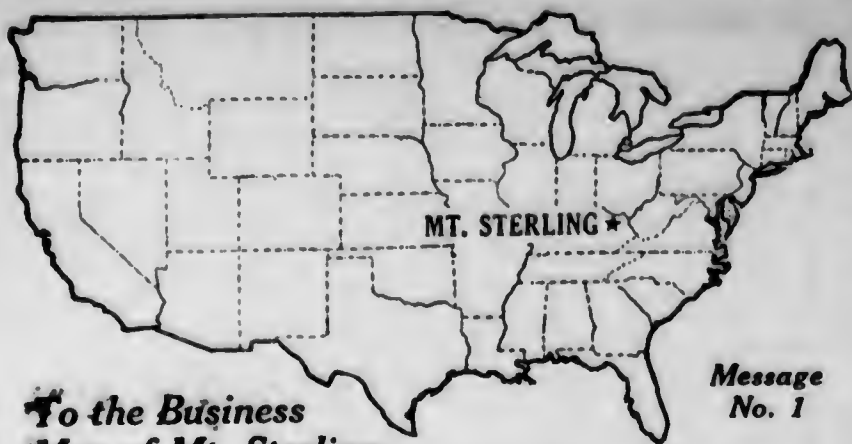
QUEEN & CRESCENT
ROUTE

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Round Trip

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Tickets sold at LEXINGTON going on Special Train leaving 11:15 a.m. on Train No. 5.

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H. C. KING, Passenger and Ticket Agent,
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To the Business Men of Mt. Sterling

When a good salesman goes out after business, he first puts on a clean collar and gets his shoes shined. Then he looks like more business—and he's made a flying start toward getting it.

Likewise, a community can go after more business—and get it. The "clean collar and shiny shoes" of this town are the well-painted stores, the bright, cheery homes, the fresh, clean-looking buildings. The part paint plays in building up local pride cannot be put in figures—but its good effects are recorded on the local merchants' sales sheets. Buy good paint. We recommend and sell!

Message No. 1

Dutch Boy Phoenix White Lead

and pure linseed oil. We know of nothing else so satisfactory, so lasting and cheap in the long run. We sell all other paint necessities as well. Get in touch with us today.

Bassett Drug Co. F. C. Duerson Land & Priest
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WRESTLE TO A DRAW

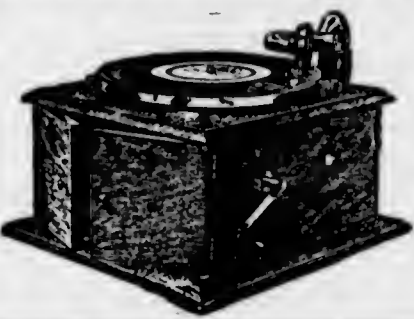
The wrestling match at Louisville Friday night between Yussif Husane and Charles Cutler was declared a draw after going 3 hours and 15 minutes. Neither man was able to secure a fall.

For Rent

Nice four room flat with bath. Centrally located. Apply to 43-tf. G. H. Strother

GOOD SELECTION

Mr. R. E. Toms, of the Federal Department of Good Roads, and who has been in charge of the construction of the model road from this city to Sharpsburg, has been named by Commissioner Terrell as Supervisor of the construction of roads in Kentucky for the counties of Bath, Bourbon, Montgomery, Clark, Fleming, Madison, Menefee, Nicholas, Powell and Rowan.



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These suits are in one and two button effects for young fellows and three button sacks for the more conservative dressers. Silk lined, half lined, silk yokes and full mohair and serge lined. The latest effects in soft shades of green and purple, small plaids, subdued over-plaids in browns, greys, blues and other patterns. Silk and wool mixtures in fine hair line and pencil stripe worsted and beautiful blue serges.



Punch, Graves & Co.

2 BIG STORES — MT. STERLING, KY.

BANKERS TO MEET AT MAYSVILLE, MAY 27TH.

The Kentucky Bankers' Association will meet at Maysville, May 27th and an elaborate program has been arranged. Messrs. John G. Winn and C. B. Patterson, of this city, are on the program, which is as follows:

MORNING SESSION, 10:30.
Meeting called to order—C. B. Patterson, Cashier Mt. Sterling National Bank, Mt. Sterling, Ky.
Invocation—Rev. John Barbour, Director Bank of Maysville, N. B. A., Maysville, Ky.

Welcome Address—J. Foster Barbour, President Bank of Maysville, N. B. A., Maysville, Ky.
"Maintaining the Standard"—Mr. C. B. Patterson, Mt. Sterling.
"Difficulties Confronting the Bankers of Kentucky at the Present Time"—J. W. Stoll, President of Kentucky Bankers Association, Lexington, Ky.

"The War Tax" and the Income Tax as They Apply to Banks"—Percy H. Johnson, Cashier Citizens National Bank, Louisville, Ky.
Appointment of Committees.
Dinner—12:30 to 1:30 o'clock.
AFTERNOON SESSION, 1:30
Report of Committees.
Election of Officers.

"The Federal Reserve Bank"—Hon. D. C. Willis, Federal Reserve Agent, of the Federal Reserve Bank, Cleveland, Ohio.

"National and State Banks from the Standpoint of a Country Banker"—John G. Winn, President Montgomery National Bank, Mt. Sterling, Ky.

James N. Kehoe, President Standard Bank, Maysville, Ky.

River Excursion to Government Dam Number 33. Boat leaves Beechwood Park promptly at 4 o'clock. Buffet lunch served on boat.

The Executive Committee is composed of Mrs. Sallie B. Kinman, of Russell; A. H. Hargis, of Jackson, and J. P. Balling, of Bethel.

Try our sliced ham and breakfast bacon.

Sanitary Meat Market.

Go to Greenwade's for Spring Lamb and Country Ham.

CORRESPONDENCE

Stoops.

(By B. M. Goodan)

The remainder of the corn crop is being planted this week.

Cut worms are still doing serious damage to corn and tobacco plants.

Old people say that the heavy locust bloom indicates a mighty corn crop this time.

The candidates are very optimistic over "the outlook" but some of them won't be very enthusiastic over the outcome.

Born, May 6th., to the wife of Greene Trimble, a daughter—Bessie Lee.

The condition of Fielder Griffin remains about the same.

Mrs. Addie Staekhouse and children, of Lexington, are visiting Mrs. J. H. Gillaspie.

Judge John A. Daugherty, of Owingsville, was here last week in the interest of his candidacy for Commonwealths Attorney.

Mrs. H. C. Ficklin and little daughter, Ruby, of Waldron, Ind., came Friday to visit relatives.

Mrs. Jesse Pendleton is at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. H. D. Adams, in Menefee county.

H. A. Lyter and wife, of Owingsville, were visitors here one day last week.

The communication in last week's Advocate from Mr. J. T. Highland was highly appreciated by readers here. It is to be hoped the Advocate entreaties will prevail and Mr. Highland will write some more about the days of long ago.

Mrs. Ora Rankin, of Little Rock, was a visitor here the past week.

Mrs. J. E. Roberson and children, of Lexington, came up last week to visit relatives.

While cutting wood, a stick hit B. F. Faulk in the right eye with terrific force, and came very near destroying the sight.

Some few from here attended court at Owingsville Monday.

Sunday afternoon on the diamond here, the Stoops ball team went up against its old enemy, Gudgell Hill, and defeated them by the score of 11 to 7. Stull was in the box for Stoops and McCarty behind the bat. Barring the first inning, the visitors never had a ghost of a show. The largest crowd ever at a ball game here was present and the victory did the Stoops' rooters lots of good, as our team is hardly ever able to defeat the strong Gudgell Hill aggregation. The Gudgell Hill battery was Oekerman and Clark. The Johnson Station team comes Sunday for a game with Stoops.

Howard's Mill.

(By Mrs. W. W. Stevenson.)

Mr. William Turley, who has been on the sick list so long, we are glad to report is able to be out again.

Lawrence Malory lost a very valuable mare last week. She left a nice colt which we hope they will raise.

Earl Murkland and family visited relatives near Flat Creek Saturday and Sunday.

L. M. Kash and family visited the home of M. D. Stevenson Sunday.

Bros. Wm. Triplett and Hedges Thompson held meetings at Polksville near Salt Lick Sunday morning, also at night.

Mrs. A. J. Wills and Mrs. Margaret Stevenson, of Winchester, who spent about two weeks with us returned home last week.

Mrs. Elizabeth Gillaspie, of Lexington, is visiting the home of her brother, Charley Buehmann.

Misses Gladys and Thelma Skidmore, of this place, are visiting their grand-parents in Powell county for a few weeks.

Bro. Arthur Howard, of near Morehead, will be here Friday night, the 14th, to hold meetings over Sunday. Be sure and come out to hear him.

Coffees to suit your taste.
Sanitary Meat Market.

THE PERILS OF JINGOISM

Mr. Taft, in commending the neutral course of the administration, speaks, as we believe, for the great body of the American people.

The Jingo, the political demagogue and the sensational press have been insistent for war, but they meet with no response from the American people.

If Mr. Roosevelt had been elected in 1912, we would have had war with Germany in defense of Belgium, war with Japan in defense of China, and war in Mexico for the maintenance of peace.

There is, therefore, in this year of trouble much to be thankful for.—Louisville Evening Post.

Found.

Large roll of matting on Owingsville pike. Owner can have same by proving property and paying for this advertisement.

44-3t. Dan Welsh, Phone 636-J.

OUR PRESIDENT

Thank God for Woodrow Wilson! Is a nation's heart-felt prayer; May God give him wisdom, As he bears his burden of care; As he strives to guide aright Through the world's darkest night, Our grand old ship of state, Fill the dangers all are past, And men come to see at last, That the ways of peace alone are great.

(Contributed.)

Pure "Boone County White" seed corn, for sale by

42-4t. T. J. Bigstaff, Mt. Sterling, Ky.

CAPITALIST DEAD

Col. Harry Weissinger, Louisville capitalist, died Sunday of heart disease after an illness of three weeks. He served under Gen. John H. Morgan during the Civil War, and was 72 years old.

The Advocate for printing.



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